

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group No.:

In re application of: Washino et al

Serial No.: 10/664,244

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For: HIGH-QUALITY, REDUCED DATA RATE STREAMING VIDEO PRODUCTION AND

MONITORING SYSTEM

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-referenced application as follows: